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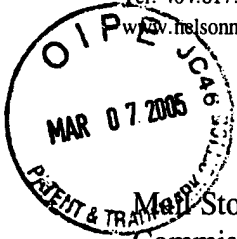
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RE: U.S. Patent Application of Bob McGuire, et al.
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Serial No.: 10/802,326
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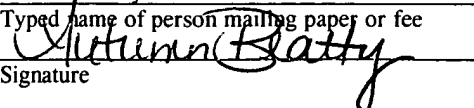
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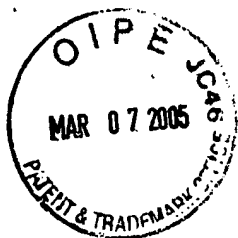
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Please preliminarily amend the above-referenced application: